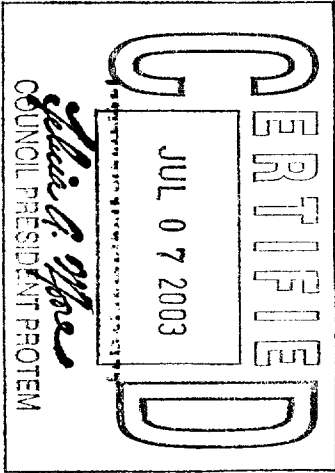


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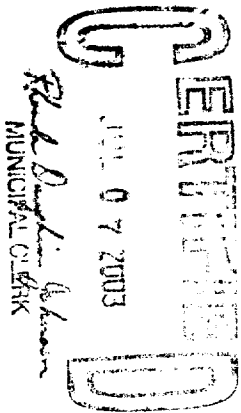
CLAIM OF: **JAMES HAYNES**  
**225 Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard, SW**  
**#9**  
**Atlanta, Georgia 30312**



For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of vehicular damage due to a storm drain on July 12, 2002 at 223 Tennessee.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY:   
**JERRY L. DELOACH**  
**DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY**



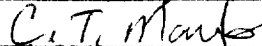
## ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFETY &

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DATE: 7/1/03

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July 9, 2003

James Haynes  
225 Ralph David Abernathy Blvd., SW  
Apartment 9  
Atlanta, GA 30312

03-R-0997

Dear Mr. Haynes:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on January 21, 2003. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

*Rhonda Dauphin Johnson*  
Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC  
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 03L0390

Date: June 6, 2003

Claimant /Victim JAMES HAYNES

BY: (Atty)(Ins. Co.)

Address: 225 Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard, SW, #9, Atlanta, Georgia 30312

Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ 57.99 Bodily Injury \$

Date of Notice: 05/27/03 Method: Written, proper X Improper

Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.)

Date of Occurrence 07/12/02 Place: 223 Tennessee

Department Watershed Management Bureau: Sewer Operations

Employee involved Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges his vehicle was damage due to driving over a storm drain. However, the claim as presented does not comply with the requirements of notice as set forth in O.C.G.A. §36-33-5, in that the six month statute of limitations expired prior to receipt of the claim.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee Claimant Others Written Oral

Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police Dept Report Other

Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver

Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial

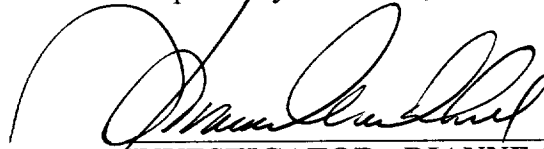
Improper Notice More than Six Months X Other Damages reasonable

City not involved Offer rejected Compromise settlement

Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. Repair/replacement by City Forces

Claimant Negligent City Negligent Joint Claim Abandoned

Respectfully submitted,



INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2J01 2H01 2P01

Claims Manager: [Signature] Concur/date 06-06-03

Committee Action: Council Action

RCS# 4853  
7/07/03  
4:05 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

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0852, 0950, 0946, 0963, 0926, 0975  
ADOPT

YEAS: 15  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
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EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	B Woolard

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		7/07/03 Full Council Meeting
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Consent I Vote: 15 Yeas; 0Nays: (See RCS #4853)

Items Removed from the Consent Agenda: 03-O-0852; 03-O-0926; 03-O-0950; 03-R-0715; 03-R-0946; 03-R-963; 03-R-0975; 03-R-0976